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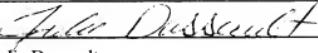
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 Reduce Management Overhead in a)
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RESPONSE

Dear Sir,

In response to the non-final Office Action dated November 28, 2007, Applicant respectfully requests entry of the following amendment, and reconsideration and withdrawal of the rejections and objections to the disclosure.

Amendments to the Claims begin on Page 2.

Remarks begin on Page 11.